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## WANTED!

—I will be in—

**Hondo, Monday, May 4th**  
**Quihi, Tuesday, May 5th**

—to buy two cars of—

## Horses, Mares and Mules

Bring stock to me on those days  
**Wm. Schmalkoke**

### District Court.

District Court convened here Monday, April 27th, for the spring term. Present were: Hon. R. H. Burney, Judge; Hon. L. J. Brucks, Attorney; August Kempf, Clerk; J. F. Bader, Sheriff; and R. S. Taylor, Stenographer.

The following Grand Jury was empaneled for the term: W. B. Odom, Nic Haby, Fritz Frensch, J. J. Wipf, Wm. Jungman, H. G. Wilson, Louis Scherrer, Aug. Koenig, H. T. Teel, Louis F. Wurzbach, C. J. Oelinger and F. A. Brown.

W. B. Odom was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury. J. H. Henderson and Adolph Haass were appointed foot bailiffs, A. E. Harper, Emil Boehle and Henry Moore mounted bailiffs, and Newt Meyer, interpreter.

The Criminal Docket was set for trial on Monday, May 4th, at 9 A. M. On Tuesday, April 28th, the following Petit Jury was empaneled as follows: Max Bippert, Lee Ward, Toby Koch, Robert Foster, Ed Schmidt, C. J. Monkhous, W. H. Burgin, D. B. Martin, Fred Jungman, Hubert Burger, R. J. Taylor, Otto Koenig, W. J. Earnest, Henry Naegelin, R. N. Howard, H. F. Buss, J. N. Dowdy, Adolph Haby, J. W. Griffin, J. W. Crutchfield, Paul Reinhart, A. Lindsey, Ed. Bader and Chas. Graff, Jr.

Ed Lamon and E. S. Griffin were excused.

In the case of Thomas F. Hart, et al. vs. A. F. Ritter, et al., trespass to try title. Judgment for the defendant, Lucile O. Ritter.

The Petit Jury was discharged Wednesday evening after having served two days.

County of Brazoria vs. Louis Rothe, et al., trespass to try title. Continued to await action of the Court of Criminal Appeals.

State vs. Tony Sparks and State vs. Bert Sanford, defaulting witnesses. Dismissed on motion of District Attorney.

Medina Townsite Co. vs. Paul S. Keller, trespass to try title. Judgment for the land in controversy by agreement in open court. Plaintiff to pay costs.

Verna Carroll vs. W. G. Carroll, divorce. Judgment as prayed for by Plaintiff.

Jacob Reinhart vs. Ada Book Alias Ada Wells, trespass to try title. Plaintiff takes a nonsuit.

J. R. Evans vs. J. R. Kirk, et al., suit on note and to foreclose lien. Continued to perfect service.

Louis Rothe, et al. vs. J. N. Berryman, et al., trespass to try title. Judgment for plaintiff for lands sued for.

Annie Campbell, et al. vs. Ed. G. Lamon, partition. Judgment on disclaimer of D. Fred Worth and E. L. Loving—Plaintiff abandoning plea for partition.

Adams Co. vs. E. A. Oetz, sequestration. Continued for service.

Theresa Bendele vs. Fritz Bendele, suit for divorce and injunction. Dismissed on account of death of defendant.

Jacob Reinhart vs. Ada Johnson, et al., trespass to try title. Judgment for plaintiff.

W. E. Dickey, et al., vs. E. Benton Powers, et al., suit on notes and to foreclose lien. Continued to perfect service.

P. E. McAnelly vs. I. & G. N. Ry., damages. Continued.

### New Fountain Notes.

Crops of all kinds are very backward this year and the recent rains are putting the fields in a weedy condition.

Mrs. Henry Bohlen of Poteet is here on a several weeks' visit to relatives. Henry, no doubt, got lonesome and arrived here today to convey his wife back home.

Mrs. John E. Muennink was here last week from Yancey visiting home-folks.

Bennie Oefinger was a visitor to Poteet last week.

Ad. Nietenhoefer left the first of last week for San Antonio for treatment to his hand on which a cancer had formed.

Mrs. Ad. Nietenhoefer and sons, Charles and Louis, went to San Antonio last week to visit Ad. Nietenhoefer, who underwent an operation for cancer. The gentleman is said to be doing fine and is expected home in a few days.

L. A. Gerdes, Willie Schlantz, Willie and Otto Schmidt and sister, Miss Ernestine, and probably others were San Antonio visitors during Carnival week.

Alois Hornung of Hondo is giving the residence of Chas. Saathoff a neat coat of paint.

Christian Nietenhoefer is having a three-room residence built at Vandenberg. Louis Metzger and Edward Moehring are doing the work.

Miss Helena Leinweber of the Upper Hondo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Christian Nietenhoefer.

Adolph Haegelin and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Moehring and daughter, Josie, came up from the Lower Hondo Sunday in Mr. Haegelin's automobile and visited Henry Stiegler and family.

Mrs. Chas. Stiegler spent last Sunday with home-folks at Dunlay.

Mrs. Hubert Burger of Verdina was down at Hondo the first of the week with a sick child.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hartmann on Thursday, April 23rd, a fine baby girl. Congratulations!

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Reitzer are also entertaining a new guest in the person of a bouncing baby boy.

Misses Minnie and Lola Buss, two of New Fountain's popular young ladies, are visitors in San Antonio.

John Hartmann and family were here from Verdina Sunday visiting relatives.

Henry Herzog was a pleasant visitor in our burg last week.

Wm. Schlickan, for several years a resident of this neighborhood, left today for Germany, his native country.

Mail boxes have been put up along the Hondo-New Fountain road, and after May 1st we will receive our mail by a rural carrier from Hondo.

New Fountain, April 29, 1914.

### The Direct Benefits of Advertising.

There are three elements that receive the direct benefits of newspaper advertising, viz: the advertiser, the paper and the reader.

The advertiser, by the proper distribution of printers ink, places his business before the purchasing public. The advertisement, if properly written and displayed, secures attention, arouses interest and promotes desire. The desire develops into demand and is eventually converted into sales.

The sale is the merchant's ultimate proclivity.

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The reader, like the advertiser, receives his remuneration in the final transaction, which is conducted over the counter.

W. HOLT HARRIS.

### Rural Route Starts.

Service began yesterday, May 1st, 1914, on rural route No. 1 out of Hondo. The mail leaves Hondo every day except Sunday at 11:15 o'clock A. M. and will serve the people of New Fountain, Vandenberg and intermediate territory.

Charles Buss is the temporary carrier.

A civil service examination was held here Saturday for a regular carrier. Four applicants, Charles Buss, Othello Bradley, Clyde Earnest and Louis A. Heyen took the examination. It will be some time before it will be known who will secure the appointment.

Notice to Horse Owners.

I have opened a shop back of Frank Schweers' butcher shop where I will do horse-shoeing exclusively. No other work accepted. Bring your horses and mules to me and have their shoes fitted by an expert specialist.

EMIL F. MARTIN.

### Blocker Returns to Post.

Eagle Pass, Texas, April 29. On assuming authority in Piedras Negras one of the first official acts of General Murgula, the Constitutionalist commander, was to invite Consul William P. Blocker to return to his post. The State Department having instructed him to use his own judgment, and having had verbal assurance from General Murgula that full protection would be given him and all foreigners, the Stars and Stripes again were raised over the consulate in Piedras Negras.

In an interview the General informed Consul Blocker that as soon as the railroad could be repaired he would proceed to Sabanas and use every effort to return to Americans the property that the Huerta factions had taken from them.

Thousands of people from Eagle Pass crossed the Rio Grande today to welcome the Constitutionalist to Piedras Negras. The smiles and courtesies with which American visitors were greeted evidenced the genuine friendship of the party now in possession. The following were the losses in the fight at Allende: Constitutionals, six killed and forty wounded; Federals, twenty killed and fifty wounded and three hundred prisoners. The latter afterwards enlisted under the flag of their captors.

The wounded have all been brought to Piedras Negras and are now in charge of the White Cross Society.

### A Sad Tragedy.

The dead body of Fritz Bendele was found at an early hour Monday morning, April 27th, in front of his home near Biry by two Mexicans residing on his farm. Relatives and neighbors were at once notified and the body was brought to Hondo in the afternoon and buried at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, April 28th, in the Hondo Catholic cemetery. Rev. Father Myers, pastor of the Hondo Catholic church, conducted the funeral services. Despite the muddy condition of the roads a large number of friends and relatives attended the funeral.

The deceased was born April 11, 1864, and was, therefore 50 years and 16 days of age at the time of his demise. He had been twice married and has one child, a little girl. He is also survived by three sisters and five brothers.

The circumstances of Mr. Bendele's death are peculiarly sad and were a great shock to his family and his friends. Let the mantle of charity fall over his awful act and those of us who knew him as a generous man and a true friend remember only his virtues.

Peace to his ashes and solace to those who mourn is the wish of one who was his friend.

### After Tax Dodgers.

In his charge to the Grand Jury last Monday, Judge Burney cited the statute on "Refusal to Render or Swear to Assessments" and instructed the Jury to make inquiry into any evasions of this law that might come before it.

Following is an extract from this law:

ART. 134.—REFUSAL TO RENDER OR SWEAR TO ASSESSMENT.—If any person shall refuse or neglect to make out and render a list of his taxable property when called upon in person by the assessor of taxes or his deputy, or shall fail or refuse to qualify to the truth of his statement of taxable property, or shall fail or refuse to subscribe to any oath or affirmation required by law in the rendition of taxable property, he shall be fined in any sum not less than twenty nor more than one thousand dollars. Acts 1876, pp. 196-7.

### Married.

Edwin F. Bendele and Miss Katie Belle Haller were happily married at the home of the bride's foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Brieden, on Carle avenue, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening. Major A. M. Lamm performed the ceremony.

Mr. Bendele is a young mechanic of this place and they will continue to reside in Hondo. The couple are very young, the groom being only about 20 and the bride 15.

The Anvil Herald extends the youthful pair its congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life.

### W. O. W. Notice.

There will be a meeting of the W. O. W. camp next Monday night, May 4th, for general business. All members are requested to be present as important business is to be transacted. By order of the Consul Commander.

H. H. Crow, Clerk.

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## Brave Life.

We know the price that all have paid  
Who fell around us;  
We know how soon the laurels fade  
That one day crowned us;  
We know the cheapness of all Fame  
For prince or rover—  
Yet, by the road, we'll play the Game  
Until it's over.

We'd rather win, but when defeat  
Comes grinding, crushing,  
We heed its lesson as we meet  
Fate's next wild rushing;  
Not for Fame's crest to stand upon,  
In blazoned order,  
But for the thrill of fighting on  
Beyond the border.

We've felt the stab of foe and friend,  
And now forsaken,  
No star shines for us at the end  
Of roads we've taken;  
But when the last dim lamp is lit,  
By land or water,  
No man can ever say we quit  
Or called for quarter.

—Selected.

MORAL disorders produce physical ugliness, and in some sort realize those frightful faces which tradition assigns to the demons. Morals and Dogma.

WHEN disposed to criticize a brother, stop just a moment and consider whether or not you are open to the same censure, or, perhaps, even worse.—The Texas Freemason.

WITH the approach of the time of year for holding the annual session of the Texas Dry Farming Congress inquiries as to the date of same are beginning to reach the Secretary. The date will be announced in due time.

HABIT is a great force; it is second nature, even in trees. It is as strong in nations as in individual men. So also are prejudices, which are given to men and nations as passions are—as forces—valuable if properly and skillfully availed of; destructive, if unskillfully handled.—Morals and Dogma.

THERE is all the difference in the world between enjoying the fun and furnishing the amusement.—Hondo Anvil Herald. For example, the position of the man who owns a popular but high priced musical comedy, and of the man whose wife and ten children force him to take them to see it.—Galveston News.

THE fine rains of this and last week were just what the backward crops needed to give them a start. With the possibility of another late freeze now happily passed, farmers will feel more encouragement to push their farm work and with the approach of warm weather the ravages of May-bugs and cut worms should soon cease, and the farmer who applies scientific methods of cultivation and moisture conservation will yet be rewarded with a bumper crop in 1914.

MR. BALL and some of his cohorts, to whom Ferguson's candidacy at first appeared a huge joke, are beginning to sit up and take notice. Ferguson is showing himself a man who is capable of taking care of himself on the hustings and Mr. Ball's past political alignments and business associations are going to tell against him, not to mention the fact that many heretofore ardent prohibitionists are growing tired of the effort of some of that faction to thrust the prohibition question in the way of every other movement for the betterment of the country and its people.

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ONE of man's most inexcusable—as it is one of the most insidious—weaknesses is his proneness to profanity. When thoughtfully analyzed it can be considered as nothing more than an evidence of man's weakness, his lack of selfcontrol. It serves no useful purpose to the strong spirit that can always maintain its poise and, at most, can serve only as a vent for the pent up feelings of the weakling who gives way to exhibitions of a weakness which the strong man scorns to expose. Such is the primal nature of that all too prevalent vice of swearing. Yet many swear without having ever stopped to so consider it. A too free indulgence in this proclivity on the part of those who, from age and experience, should know better—because better things are to be expected of them—instills in the mind of the young an entirely erroneous idea of this vice, and from a timid indulgence in what seems to them the prerogative of a "man", they grow into a habit that is more difficult to break away from than from bolts and chains. For this reason, men should be circumspect of their speech. Save in this one unfortunate respect, no one admires or wishes to emulate the speech of the profane man. To even the man addicted to this habit the oaths of other men fall with a harsh and grating sound upon his ears. Once in a place where men often congregate, we saw displayed in a bold placard this admonition "Don't swear; it sounds like hell." If swearing renders the atmosphere infernal to those accustomed to it how dreadful it must be to the more delicate and refined! Let us strive to break away from things infernal and by speech as well as thought and deed strive to make this old world a pleasanter place to live in.

A soul in which the spirit of a divine purpose is at flood glories everything it touches, enhaloes every place and act, lifts the meanest thing to be divine, sends the thrill of its energy through the dullest, puts life into that which seems death. Such a soul transfigures, if it may not transmute, everything it comes in contact with.—J. F. W. Ware.

SPIRITUAL rest and peace are found as a result of perseverance through tribulation, not in exemption from tribulation.—H. C. Trumbull.

## A MISTAKEN IDEA

There are some people who still resort to drugged pills or alcoholic syrups to overcome colds, nervousness or general debility, and who know that the pure, unadulterated nourishment in Scott's Emulsion is eminently better, but refrain from taking it because they fear it may lead to excessive fat or obesity. This is a mistaken idea, because Scott's Emulsion first strengthens the body before making flesh. Its blood-forming properties aid nature to throw off sickness by building health from its very source, and flesh is formed only by its continued use. Avoid alcoholic substitutes for SCOTT'S.

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A County That Is Building Modern School Houses.

People are reflected, to a large extent, by the character of houses in which they live. Although good school houses do not of themselves make institutions where knowledge abounds or wisdom reigns, what people think of the value of schools is indicated by the kind of school houses they have built.

Naturally, we should expect the counties of East Texas where timber grows, or the counties of Central Texas where wealth abounds, to take the lead in the construction of modern and comfortable school buildings. However, a thinly populated county, situated near the foot of the plains where the velocity of western winds has never yet been measured by an anemometer and where the coyotes still sing their lonesome songs in the presence of chickens, preachers and farmers, can teach the other counties of our commonwealth how to provide school houses that do not harbor the germs of human diseases. Here is the record of Fisher County during the past four years: Twenty-six country districts out of a total of forty-two have voted bonds for the erection of school houses. Twenty-four of these buildings are modern, constructed according to the plans furnished and recommended by the Department of Extension of the University of Texas. Nineteen of these buildings have approved systems of heating which provide for the intake of fresh air and the outgo of foul air. Practically all have provided auditoriums for social service.

It is said that the average mind can neither discern nor digest the littleness of the magnitude of statistics. But the statistics of Fisher County's progress are so one-sided that even mental aptitude is not required to grasp them. There are forty-two country districts. All levy a local tax. No district levies less than twenty cents. The average tax for the several districts is thirty-three cents, and many districts levy the maximum of fifty cents. Every school in the county has "patent" desks.

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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,  
**ED H. HUEHNER, Editor**  
who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

George Mangold left Tuesday morning for San Antonio.

Fine soaking rains visited this section Tuesday and Wednesday and farmers and stockmen are wearing great big smiles. This rain will insure a bumper oat crop.

Despite the inclement weather a large number of mourning relatives and friends attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Aalka Haass Wednesday afternoon. We join in sympathy with the bereaved ones. May she rest in peace.

Hon. R. J. Noonan was a Castroville business visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolf Batzen of Knippa stopped over a little while Friday while en route home from San Antonio.

The sad news reached us Saturday that Mrs. Tom J. Brieden (nee Rohrbach) had departed this life early that morning at her home at Stockdale. The corpse was shipped to this place and laid to rest in the St. Louis cemetery Sunday afternoon. Rev. Father Heckmann performing the last sad rites. The deceased has many relatives and friends here, who all join in sympathy with the bereaved ones. May she rest in peace.

An electrical storm, accompanied by a heavy down pour of rain, visited this section early this morning and the weather is still very threatening at this writing.

Several of our citizens are out at Hondo—courting!

We are glad to state that Mr. Louis Meckler of Sauz, who had been reported seriously ill the first of the week, is convalescing and we join his many friends in wishing him a speedy and permanent recovery.

Miss Edna Blum of Floresville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Huehner.

News are scarce this week. More anon.  
April 27, 1914.

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Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Pimples.

Many a man fails to get there because he carries excess baggage.

### Cure for Stomach Disorders.

Disorders of the stomach may be avoided by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many very remarkable cures have been effected by these tablets. Sold by all dealers.

## RUN-DOWN WOMEN

### Find Health in a Simple Tonic.

How many women do you know who are perfectly well, strong and healthy as a woman should be? They may not be sick enough to lie in bed—but they are run-down, thin, nervous, tired and devitalized.

Women are so active nowadays, and so much is expected of them, that they constantly overdo and suffer from headache, backache, nervousness and kindred ills.

Such women need Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic without oil which will create an appetite, tone up the digestive organs, make pure blood and create strength.

Mrs. Walter Price, Biloxi, Miss., says: "I was in a run-down condition for months. I had taken several medicines but they seemed to do me no good. Finally Vinol was recommended, and from the first bottle I began to improve until I am strong and well as ever."

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you.

W. H. Windrow, Druggist, Hondo.

### Health a Factor in Success.

The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are regular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are sold by all dealers.

### G. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.

WEST BOUND  
No. 7 Arrives...12:55 P. M.  
No. 9 Arrives...10:10 P. M.  
EAST BOUND  
No. 10 Arrives...7:05 P. M.  
No. 8 Arrives...10:01 A. M.  
P. JUNGMAN, JR., Agent.

### Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

"My sister's husband had an attack of rheumatism in his arm," writes a well known resident of Newton, Iowa. "I gave him a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment which he applied to his arm and on the next morning the rheumatism was gone." For chronic muscular rheumatism you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. Sold by all dealers.

After a woman has learned to sharpen a pencil she begins to feel that she could get along very well without men.

### Keep Bowel Movement Regular.

Dr. King's New Life Pills keep stomach, liver and kidneys in healthy condition. Rid the body of poisons and waste. Improve your complexion by flushing the liver and kidneys. "I got more relief from one box of Dr. King's New Life Pills than any medicine I ever tried," says C. E. Hatfield, of Chicago, Ills. 25c at your Druggist.

Persistence will win in the long run, and will often win a lot of things that weren't worth the effort.

A child can't get strong and robust while intestinal worms eat away its vitality. To give the child a chance to grow these parasites must be destroyed and expelled. White's Cream Vermifuge is guaranteed to remove the worms; it also puts the vital organs in healthy, vigorous condition. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Too many of us kick before we know where the shoe pinches.

If you belch up a bitter tasting liquid it is a sign of bad digestion. A dose or two of Herbine will correct the disorder. It stimulates digestion and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

### Briefs From Billville.

We had a splendid, providential rain yesterday. It washed our office away, and we got \$1,000 insurance.

We have again been turned down in the civil service examination. We hate to hurt the government while it's involved in war, but we hereby announce that this paper is ag'in it forever!

The coroner sat on six men yesterday. The coroner weighs 300 pounds, and the men cannot recover.

The mayor fired off a gross of cannon firecrackers in a flour barrel on the Fourth of July. We don't know how he is feeling about it, as he went up with 'em and hasn't come down yet—Atlanta Constitution.

### Most Prompt and Effectual Cure for Bad Colds.

When you have a bad cold you want a remedy that will not only give relief, but effect a prompt and permanent cure, a remedy that is pleasant to take, a remedy that contains nothing injurious. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all these requirements. It acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and restores the system to a healthy condition. This remedy has a world wide sale and can always be depended upon. Sold by all dealers.

The world is largely made up of people who think they could do the other fellow's job better.

For cholera morbus, cholera infantum, diarrhoea from colic, and wind colic, McGee's Baby Elixir is a remedy of extraordinary power, it relieves colic pains instantly, checks diarrhoea and settles the disordered stomach. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

### DREAMS THAT CAME TRUE

He dreamed that he was the manager—he woke up in an adollar-a-day job.

But, "why not?" he asked, "if I acquire the trained ability that business men want. I put in ten hours a day, and I may as well secure the highest rewards possible for my services." You see he woke up some more.

Are you interested in how he got out of the "rut" and really made that dream come true?

Write us a postal or a letter—it's worth it.

San Antonio Business College, San Antonio, Texas.

## Have You Poultry Troubles?

Cure the liver and you cure the bird. Nearly all poultry troubles are due to a disordered liver. Thousands of poultry raisers who use it all year round to keep their flocks in good health, highly recommend

## Bee Dee STOCK & POULTRY MEDICINE

It's a Liver Medicine.  
Also a strengthening Tonic.

Bee Dee STOCK & POULTRY MEDICINE is a splendid cure for liver trouble, roup and chicken cholera. Given regularly with the feed, in small doses, it also makes an excellent tonic.  
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### Indigestion? Can't Eat? No Appetite?

A treatment of Electric Bitters increases your appetite; stops indigestion; you can eat everything. A real spring tonic for liver, kidney and stomach troubles. Cleanses your whole system and you feel fine. Electric Bitters did more for Mr. T. D. Peeble's stomach troubles than any medicine he ever tried. Get a bottle today. 50c and \$1.00, at your Druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Eczema.

Never use flattery with its full strength. Dilute it with a little tact.

Stiff neck is not only painful but annoying. To get rid of it quickly rub the affected part with Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates the flesh and relaxes the muscles so that the pain ceases immediately. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Girls wouldn't be prudes if it wasn't for the fact that they know too much.

When your food does not digest well and you feel "blue," tired and discouraged, you should use a little Herbine at bedtime. It opens the bowels, purifies the system and restores a fine feeling of health and energy. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

After all it is better to take a chance than to lose on a sure thing.

Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure The worst case, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00.



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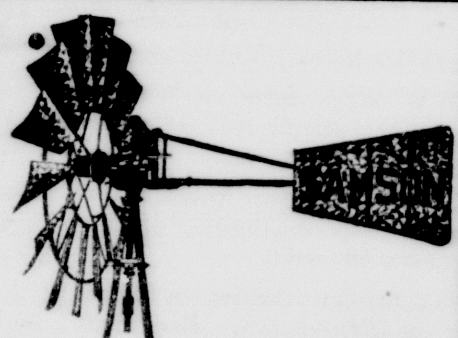
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And For Three Summers Mrs. Vincent Was Unable to Attend to Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst."

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework.

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off.

I was certainly in a dreadful state of health, when I finally decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I firmly

believe I would have died if I hadn't taken it.

After I began taking Cardui, I was greatly helped, and all three bottles relieved me entirely.

I fattened up, and grew so much stronger in three months, I felt like another person altogether."

Cardui is purely vegetable and gentle-acting. Its ingredients have a mild, tonic effect, on the womanly constitution.

Cardui makes for increased strength, improves the appetite, tones up the nervous system, and helps to make pale, sallow cheeks, fresh and rosy.

Cardui has helped more than a million weak women, during the past 50 years. It will surely do for you, what it has done for them. Try Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. J-45



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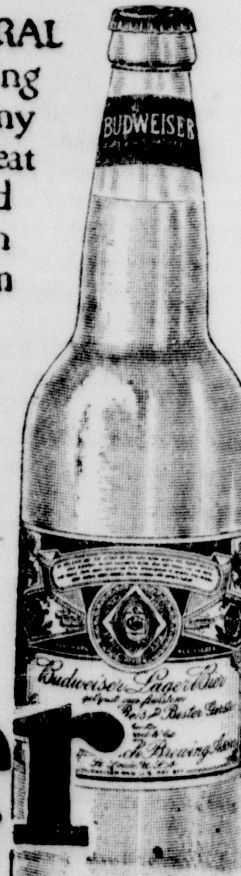
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Cleaning and Pressing at City Tailor Shop.

Box candy—all sizes and prices—at Hutzler's.

Order your next suit from the City Tailor Shop.

For all kinds of nuts go to Hutzler's confectionery.

For Sale—Two gentle work mules, C. W. Gilliam.

Joe Miller was here from Lacoste on business this week.

Presiding Elder S. B. Beall was here Monday from San Antonio.

Fritz Weber was down from Utopia this week on legal business.

J. W. Ridenour returned Sunday from a business trip to Austin.

You will never regret ordering your tailor made clothes from S. G. Carter.

Spring and summer line is now ready for your inspection. S. G. Carter, Tailor.

Joe Koch was over from D'Hanis Monday on business before the district court.

Phone 125, the City Tailor Shop, when your clothes need cleaning or pressing.

For best cleaning and pressing have your work done at S. G. Carter's, Phone 179.

Corona Wool Fat, a healing salve for cuts, sores, etc., on animals. Sold by Mechler & Co.

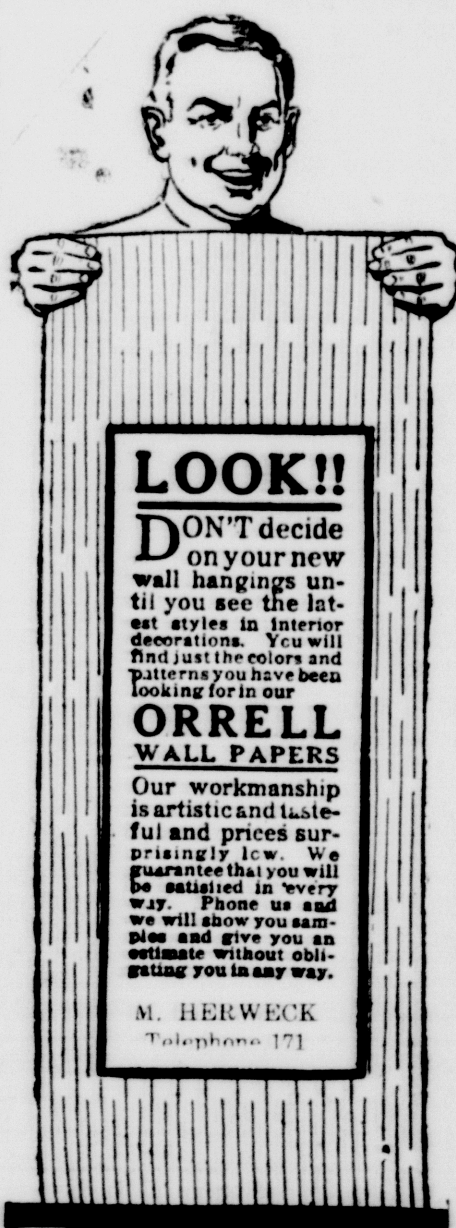
R. S. Howard of Black Creek was one of the numerous district court visitors here this week.

Dr. J. W. Nixon came up Wednesday from Gonzales to look after his business interests here.

W. R. Meredith, the Aetna Insurance man, came in Tuesday from a business trip out west.

Leopold Brieden attended the funeral of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Tom Brieden, at Castroville Sunday.

Eggs for hatching from full-blood White Leghorns for sale at \$1.50 per setting of 15. T. B. Holloway.



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Telephone 171

Let us have your order for a shop-made wagon bed. L. A. Mechler & Co.

Jacob Reinhart of Sabinal and Paul Reinhart of D'Hanis were among district court visitors here this week.

E. A. Parsons and family were visitors to relatives at Brackett last week. They made the trip in their automobile.

For Sale, A 7-room residence located in the heart of the city. For price and terms apply to C. J. Monkhouse.

Get it at Windrow's.

All kinds of canned goods at Heyen's. Mrs. G. W. Jones visited the Alamo City Tuesday.

Fresh fruits of all kinds at Hutzler's confectionery.

W. O. Victor was down from Uvalde again this week.

Fresh chocolates and all kind of candy at Hutzler's.

M. Herwick was a business visitor at Dunlay Tuesday.

George Christilles was here Tuesday from Lacoste on business.

Adolph Eichhorn was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

W. R. Meredith was a business visitor to San Antonio Thursday.

Did you see that suit he had on? He ordered it from The Suitatorium.

W. H. Hearne was over from D'Hanis Thursday on legal business.

Mesdames E. W. Lacy and D. W. Short were Alamo City visitors Tuesday.

For first-class Cleaning and Pressing, go to the Suitatorium, C. D. Earnest, Proprietor.

Judge L. L. Martin was down from Uvalde this week on business before the district court.

Andreas Blatz was here Tuesday from Devine for the funeral of the late Fritz Bendele.

Mack Kercheville, Esq. of Devine was among the visiting attorneys here this week for district court.

Mrs. M. L. Darby was up from Edna Monday on a visit to friends. She returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. Blackaller and baby returned Saturday from a several days visit to relatives in San Antonio.

Buy a Stewart Horse Clipping and Sheep Shearing Machine from Eugen Huesser and clip your horses. tf.

For Dressmaking and all kinds of Plain and Fancy Sewing see Mrs. F. S. Garrison or ring telephone 211. tf.

R. W. Richter and son, Guido, went to San Antonio Tuesday where Guido underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Louis F. Wursbach was here this week serving as a grand juror. He paid this office a business call Wednesday.

C. F. Haass came up Wednesday from Devine. Mr. Haass has sold out at Devine and is looking for a new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry V. Haass and daughter, Mrs. P. C. Jagge, were here Tuesday for the funeral of Fritz Bendele.

Taken Up—Seven heifers, all branded on left loin. Owner will apply to Jack Fusselman, Hondo, Texas, and pay expenses.

For first class cleaning and pressing phone the City Tailor Shop, Phone 125, we will call for your clothes and deliver them promptly.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Florence, are spending the week with relatives here. Mr. Scherrer is serving on the grand jury.

I am prepared to furnish eggs at \$1.50 per setting on short notice from my prize winning S. C. Rhode Island Reds. T. C. Barnes, Hondo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Minot were here Sunday from San Marcos on a visit to the family of Mr. and Mrs. T. McClaugherty. They returned home Monday.

Rev. A. Falkenberg left Tuesday for Cuero to attend a meeting of the Lutheran Synod at that place. Owing to his absence there will be no services at the Lutheran church tomorrow.

Ed. Ingram's three rat terriers made a new rat killing record one day last week down at the R. W. Richter farm. The three dogs killed 114 rats, 3 ground squirrels and 3 rabbits in a little while.

The Star Theatre was crowded Wednesday night to witness the feature play, Absinthe. The Star is producing some good plays and continues to draw good crowds despite counter attractions.

Another nice rain fell here Sunday night and Monday, amounting to 1.06 inches. This with the rain of last week of 1.17 inches has put a very fine season in the ground. Crops have at last begun to grow rapidly and farmers are wishing for some clear weather so as to catch up with their plowing.

Mrs. Dr. Hudnen Jones and baby of Ft. Davis, Texas, stopped over Wednesday and visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCall over Wednesday night and continued on to San Antonio Thursday morning. Mrs. Jones will be remembered by many of our readers as formerly Miss Lena Hoog, a popular teacher in the Medina County public schools.

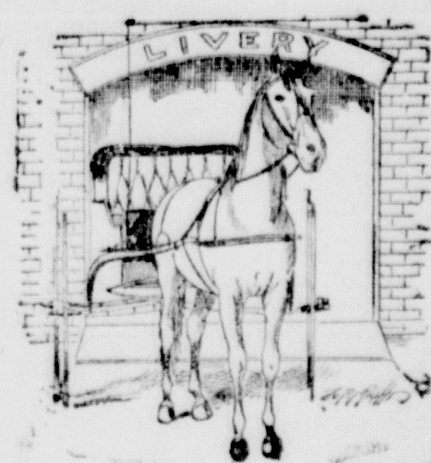
Messrs. P. E. McAnelly of Devine and Ernest E. McAnelly of Dallas were Hondo visitors this week and while here paid our office a pleasant call. The younger Mr. McAnelly is an Architect and Construction Engineer with offices in the Southwestern Life Building at Dallas, and is at present engaged on some important government work.

Fresh Grape Fruit and Pine Apples at Heyen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carle and daughter, Miss Cecile, were visitors to San Antonio Monday.

Richard Reilly, the Hondo Lumber Co. bookkeeper, was a business visitor to San Antonio Monday.

There will be a dance in Santhoff Bros.' hall Saturday night, May 9th. Come out and have a good time. 2t



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## PERSONALS

Do you read the Anvil Herald?  
Earl Ulbrich was over from D'Hanis Sunday.

J. E. Bader was a passenger east yesterday.

Mrs. August Leinweber was a San Antonio visitor yesterday.

Merchant Wm. Boon was a passenger east Thursday evening.

The Hondo Lumber Co. shipped a car of lumber to Seco siding this week.

Two cars of sheep were shipped from this place to Ft. Worth this week.

Prof. Buckner Harris Jr. was over from D'Hanis Sunday to visit home.

Mrs. V. C. Hardt visited her son, J. Hardt, and family at Uvalde during the week.

Another fine rain fell here yesterday afternoon and the roads and streets are very muddy.

One car of oats and two cars of corn were shipped from this place to market this week.

Full-blood Indian Runner Duck eggs for sale at \$1.00 for 13. Write B.anova, Bertram, Tex.

A number of second hand cars for sale cheap. See them at the Hondo Auto Sales Co. garage.

Rev. Gus Muennink left Saturday for his home in San Antonio after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. John L. Mechler and baby returned Sunday from a week's visit to relatives in San Antonio.

For Sale, Four pair Peafowls at five dollars per pair. Apply to Mrs. P. E. Haass, Dunlay, Texas. St.

Henry Bohlen and family left Thursday evening for their home in Poteet for a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Mrs. J. B. Ney was over from D'Hanis Thursday evening on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Charles Mueller.

For Sale or Trade, our entire Livery Feed Stables in Hondo, Texas. We are the only Livery Stable here and it will make a good business for some one. McClaugherty & Horger.

We call for and deliver work. All work guaranteed. The Sutorium.

Hon. John T. Briscoe was up from Devine during the week on professional business before the district court.

Elder D. I. Hiler will preach at the Church of Christ tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. H. E. Offutt has returned to her home at Kansas City, Missouri, after having spent several months here with her sister, Mrs. E. E. Scott.

I repair guns and bicycles and also do Vulcanizing at the Hondo Foundry & Machine Co. Shop. All work guaranteed Satisfactory. Edwin F. Bendele.

See L. Barrientes & Sons for fresh fruit and vegetables. Delivery made to any part of the city. Phone 200. We also pay the highest market price for butter and eggs.

A basket picnic will be given by the patrons of the school at Dunlay on Saturday, May 9, 1914. Refreshments will be sold on the grounds. A grand ball at night at the Sons of Herman hall, admission 50c. Everybody welcome.

Miss Magdalena Mechler, a graduate nurse from Hot Springs, Arkansas, is here on a visit to her brother, John L. Mechler, and family. Miss Mechler is a Castroville girl and is just back from a several years' stay at a nurse's training school at Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neuman returned Thursday night from Kingsville. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Geo. Neuman and baby who will visit some time here. Mr. Neuman says the Kingsville country is a fine one but he likes old Medina better.

An election will be held at Gilliam's sample room, south of the railroad, from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m. today to elect three trustees to succeed John Frerichs, August Hornung and H. E. Haass, whose terms expire. Isaac Wilson has been appointed to hold the election.

The Anvil Herald is in receipt of the following:

Mr. and Mrs. August Schott invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter Annie Mary to Mr. Paul Harrison Renken Tuesday morning, May the twelfth at eight-thirty o'clock St. Joseph's Church, Devine Texas.

The Anvil Herald does job printing. Mention the Anvil Herald to our advertisers.

M. S. Koch was here Thursday from D'Hanis on business.

C. F. Haass was a business caller at this office Wednesday.

Joe Sauter and Ernest Brotze were here Thursday from D'Hanis on business.

The Hondo Auto Sales Co. received another car load of Ford Automobiles Wednesday.

Our Spring and Summer samples are something fine. Come look them over. The Sutorium.

F. P. Seekatz was here Thursday from Riomedina on business before the district court.

Minke Muennink returned home Sunday from San Marcos where he has been studying music.

The sweetest story ever told, The sweetest morsel ever sold, Guth chocolates, Martin Drug Co.

Come to Windrow's drug store for your base balls, gloves, bats, etc. All prices and kinds are here.

For Sale or Trade, A registered Duroc Jersey Red Bear, one year old. Apply to J. C. Merriman.

Messrs. Pete Koch Jr., Henry Ney and Will Grimsinger were over from D'Hanis Thursday on business.

Mrs. W. B. Garrison is back from a lengthy visit to her son, J. S. Garrison, and family at Cameron, Texas.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Mr. George Mangold and Miss Frances Pinn, young people of Castroville and Lacoste.

Mrs. L. C. Wright left for her home at Dilley yesterday after having spent a week with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carle.

Lost—A pocket book containing about \$50 in currency, and two keys. Lost Monday night between Hondo and Elstone. \$10 reward for its return to this office.



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Cigars and smoking tobacco at Fritz Heyen's.

Prof. J. L. Williams was over from D'Hanis Thursday with the ball team. Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

A San Antonio Business College Scholarship for sale at this office. t.

For Sale, A full-blood Jersey male calf. Apply at the Anvil Herald office.

Remember Windrow's drug store is the place to buy your base ball supplies.

My motto is to please and I appreciate your business. S. G. Carter, the tailor.

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Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

A Carnival Company is holding forth on College Square this week. Only small crowds have been attending.

Wm. Schmalkoke, the horse buyer, will be here next Monday and at Quili Tuesday to buy horses. See his card elsewhere.

The ladies of the Baptist Church will give a public dinner at the Mask building next Tuesday for the benefit of the church.

For Sale, A few settings of eggs from a select mating of pure blooded Barred Plymouth Rocks at \$1.50 per setting of 15. File your orders early at The Anvil Herald office.

Owing to all bids being considered too high no contract was let Monday for erecting the new Baptist church. The proposition to build it by day labor is now being considered.

In a match game of ball between the D'Hanis High School boys and the Hondo High School boys on the local diamond Thursday afternoon, the visitors went down in defeat to the tune of 7 to 1.

For Sale, A 2895-acre ranch, four miles north of Sansom on the Rock Springs road. Sixty-five per cent tillable. Price \$13.50 per acre, one third cash and balance on easy terms. Apply to the Hondo Land Co., Hondo, Texas.

A fine girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gladden McAnelly near Yancey Wednesday, April 29, 1914. This is the first girl baby born in the McAnelly family in 65 years and it is quite an important event in the affairs of that family.

Mrs. Edwin Ernest returned Saturday from San Antonio where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. Her mother, Mrs. August Hornung, who had spent some time in San Antonio, returned home with her.

The attendance at the regular weekly meeting of the local lodge of Odd Fellows Thursday night was very light but those present made up in enthusiasm for what was lacking in numbers. The second degree was conferred on two candidates.

Prof. J. L. Williams was here Saturday from D'Hanis. The D'Hanis High School closed yesterday. The graduating exercises will be held at Carle's hall tonight and on next Monday night the class will render a play, "Polly in Politics," at the same hall.

Aug. Kempf Sr. is in receipt of a letter from his son, August, in which he informs him that he is one of ten mail clerks who were ordered to sail from Galveston to Vera Cruz Tuesday to work in the mail service at that place. They were expected to land at Vera Cruz yesterday.

\$10.00 Reward: Strayed or stolen one bay mare, 16 hands high, 20 years old, blind in left eye; also one bay mare 16 hands high, 4 years old, white spot in forehead; both unbranded. The above reward will be paid for information leading to recovery of same by Willie Lamon, Castroville, Tex. 4t

D'Hanis, Tex., April 30.—Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock a pretty home wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Ney, parents of the bride. The contracting parties were Miss Mattie Ney and Stanley Smith of San Antonio. The newly wedded couple left on the evening train for San Antonio, their future home, where Mr. Smith is engaged in business.

With General Funston in command of about 10,000 soldiers at Vera Cruz and the city under martial law, Huerta has yielded to the entreaties of Argentina, Brazil and Chili for an armistice until efforts can be further made to mediate and bring peace between the two countries. In the meantime, Villa is marching on Tampico with an army of 12,000 Constitutionalists. This seems to be the situation as we go to press. It may all be changed before the paper is off the press.

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# The Valiants of Virginia

By  
**Hallie Erminie Rives**  
(Mrs. Post Wheeler)

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## SYNOPSIS.

**CHAPTER I**—John Vallant, a rich society favorite, suddenly discovers that the Valiant corporation, which his father founded and which was the principal source of his wealth, has failed.

**CHAPTER II**—He voluntarily turns over his private fortune to the receiver for the corporation.

**CHAPTER III**—His entire remaining possessions consist of an old motor car, a white bull dog and Damory court, a neglected estate in Virginia.

**CHAPTER IV**—He learns that this estate came into the family by royal grant and has been in the possession of the Valiants ever since.

**CHAPTER V**—On the way to Damory court he meets Shirley Dandridge, an aristocratic beauty, and decides that he is going to like Virginia immensely.

**CHAPTER VI**—An old negro tells Shirley her fortune and predicts great trouble for her on account of a man.

**CHAPTER VII**—Uncle Jefferson, an old negro, takes Vallant to Damory court.

**CHAPTER VIII**—Shirley's mother, Mrs. Dandridge, and Major Bristow exchange reminiscences during which it is revealed that the major, Vallant's father, and a man named Sassoon, were rivals for the hand of Mrs. Dandridge in her youth. Sassoon and Vallant fought a duel on her account in which the former was killed.

**CHAPTER IX**—Vallant finds Damory court overgrown with weeds and creeper and the buildings in a very much neglected condition. Uncle Jefferson and his wife, Aunt Daphne, are engaged as servants.

**CHAPTER X**—Vallant explores his ancestral home. He is surprised by a fox hunting party which invades his estate. He recognizes Shirley at the head of the party.

**CHAPTER XI**—He gives sanctuary to the cornered fox. Gossips discuss the advent of the new owner and recall the tragedy in which the elder Vallant took part.

**CHAPTER XII**—Vallant decides to rehabilitate Damory court and make the land produce a living for him.

**CHAPTER XIII**—He meets Shirley, who has been gathering flowers on the Vallant estate, and reveals his identity to her.

**CHAPTER XIV**—Vallant saves Shirley from the bite of a snake, which bites him. Knowing the deadliness of the bite, Shirley sucks the poison from the wound and saves his life.

**CHAPTER XV**—Shirley tells her mother of the incident and the latter is strangled by the news that a Vallant is again living at Damory court.

**CHAPTER XVI**—Vallant learns some of the history of his family from Doctor Southall and Major Bristow.

**CHAPTER XVII**—He learns for the first time that his father left Virginia on account of a duel in which Doctor Southall and Major Bristow acted as his father's seconds.

**CHAPTER XVIII**—Vallant and Shirley become good friends. Mrs. Dandridge faints when she first meets Vallant.

## CHAPTER XX.

### The Gardeners.

He saw them coming through the gate on the Red Road—the major and Shirley in a blue muslin by his side—and strode to meet them. Behind them Ranston propelled a hand-cart filled with paper bundles from each of which protruded a bunch of flowering stems. There was a flush in Shirley's cheek as her hand lay in Vallant's. As for him, his eyes, like a wilful drunkard, returned again and again, between the major's compliments, to her face.

"You have accomplished wonders, sah! I had no idea so much could be done in such a limited time. You have certainly primped the old place up. I could almost think I was looking at Damory Court in the sixties, sah!"

"That's quite the nicest thing you could have said, Major," responded Vallant. "But it needs the flowers." He looked at Shirley with sparkling eyes. "How splendid of you to bring them! I feel like a robber."

"With our bushels of them? We shall never miss them at all. Have you set out the others?"

"I have, indeed. Every one has rooted, too. You shall see them." He led the way up the drive till they stood before the porch.

"Gad!" chuckled the major. "Who would think it had been unoccupied for three decades? At this rate, you'll soon be giving dances, sah."

"Ah," said Vallant. "That's the very thing I want to suggest. The tournament comes off next week, I understand, and it's been the custom to have a ball that night. The tourney ground is on this estate, and Damory Court is handier than the Country Club. Why wouldn't it be appropriate to hold the dance here? The ground-floor rooms are in order, and if the young people would put up with it, it would be a great pleasure to me, I assure you."

"Oh!" breathed Shirley. "That would be too wonderful!"

The major seized his hand and shook it heartily. "I can answer for the committee," he said. "They'll jump at it. Why, sah, the new generation has never set eyes inside the house. It's a golden legend to them."

"Then I'll go ahead with arrangements."

He led them around the house and down the terraces of the formal garden, and here the major's encomiums broke forth again. "You are going to take us old folks back, sah," he said

## SMOTHERING SPELLS

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In October, 1910, we received a letter from Mrs. Hall, from which we make the following extracts:

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Vallant smiled slowly. "I don't dream of anything else," he said. "My life, as I map it out, seems to begin here. The rest doesn't count—only the years when I was little and had my father."

The major carefully adjusted his eye-glasses. His head was turned away. "Ah, yes," he said.

"The last twenty years," continued the other, "from my present viewpoint, are valuable mainly for contrast."

"As a consistent regimen of pate de foie gras," said Shirley quizzically, "makes one value bread and butter."

He shook his head at her. "As starvation makes one appreciate plenty. The next twenty years are to be here. But they hold side-trips, too. Now

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and then there's a jaunt back to the city."

"Contrast again?" she asked interestedly.

"Yes and no. Yes, because no one who has ever known that blazing clanging life can really understand the peace and blessedness of a place like this. No, because there are some things which are to be found only there. There are the galleries and the opera. I need a breath of them both."

"And semi-occasional longer flights, too," the major reflected. "A look-see abroad once in a blue moon. Why not?"

"Yes. For mental photographs—impressions one can't get from between book-covers. There's an old cloister garden I know in Italy and a particular river-bank in Japan in the cherry-blossom season, and a tiny island with a Greek castle on it in the Aegean. Little colored memories for me to bring away to dream over. But always I come back here to Damory Court. For this is—home!"

They walked beneath the pergola to the lake, where Shirley gave a cry of delight at sight of its feathered population. "Where did you get them from?" she asked.

"Washington. In crates."

"That explains it," she exclaimed. "One day last week the little darkies in the village all insisted a circus was coming. They must have seen these being hauled here. They watched the whole afternoon for the elephants."

"Poor youngsters!" he said. "It's a shame to fool them. But I've had all the circus I want getting the live stock installed."

"They won't suffer," said the major. "Rickey Snyder'll get them up a three-ringed show at the drop of a hat and drop it herself. Besides, there's tournament day coming, and they can live on that. I see you've dredged out some of the lilies."

"Yes. I take my dip here every morning."

"We used to have a diving-board when we were little shavers," pursued the major. "I remember once, your father—"

He cleared his throat and stopped dead.

"Please," said John Vallant, "I—I like to hear about him."

"It was only that I struck my head on a rock on the bottom and—stayed down. The others were frightened, but he—he dove down again and again till he brought me out. It was a narrow squeak, I reckon."

A silence fell. Looking at the tall muscular form beside her, Shirley had a sudden vision of a determined little body cleaving the dark water, over and over, now rising panting for breath, now plunging again, never giving up. And she told herself that the son was the same sort. That hard set of the jaw, those firm lips, would know no flinching. He might suffer, but he would be strong.

Half unconsciously she spoke her thought aloud: "You look like your father, do you not?"

"Yes," he replied, "there's a strong likeness. I have a photograph which I'll show you sometime. But how did you know?"

"Perhaps I only guessed," she said in some confusion. To cover this she stooped by the pebbly margin and held out her hand to the bronze ducks that pushed and gobbled about her fingers. "What have you named them?" she asked.

"Nothing. You christen them." "Very well. The light one shall be Pezietree and the dark one Pilgrimage. I got the names from John Jasper—he was Virginia's famous negro preacher. I once heard him hold forth when he read from one of the Psalms—the one about the harp and the psalter—and he called it pezietree."

Vallant's laugh rang out over the lake—to be answered by a sudden sharp screech from the terrace, where the peacock strutted, a blaze of spangled purple and gold. They turned to see Aunt Daphne issue from the kitchen, twig-broom in hand.

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we got company, yo' triflin' ol' fan-tail, yo! Git outen heah!" She waved her weapon and the bird, with a raucous shriek of defiance, retired in ruffled disorder. The master of Damory Court looked at Shirley. "What shall we name him?"

"I'd call him Fire-Cracker, if he goes off like that," she said. And Fire-Cracker the bird was christened forthwith.

"And now," said Shirley, "let's set out the ramblers."

The major had brought a rough plan, sketched from memory, of the old arrangement of the formal garden. "I'll just go over the lines of the beds with 'Uncle' Jefferson," he proposed, "while you two potter over these roses." So Vallant and Shirley walked back up

the slope beneath the pergola together.

With Ranston, puffing and blowing like a black porpoise over his creaking go-cart, they planted the ramblers—crimson and pink and white—Vallant much of the time on his knees, his hands plunging deep into the black spongy earth, and Shirley with broad hat flung on the grass, her fingers separating the clinging thread-like roots and her small arched foot tamping down the soil about them. Her hair—the color of wet raw wood in the sunlight—was very near the brown head and sometimes their fingers touched over the work. Once, as they stood up, flushed with the exercise, a great black and orange butterfly, dazed with the sun-glow, alighted on Vallant's rolled-up sleeve. He held his arm perfectly still and blew gently on the wavering pinions till it swam away. When a redbird flitted by, to his delight she whistled its call so perfectly that it wheeled in mid-flight and tilted inquiringly back toward them.

As they descended the terrace again to the pergola, he said, "There's only one thing lacking at Damory Court—a sundial."

"Then you haven't found it?" she cried delightedly. "Come and let me show you."

She led the way through the maze of beds at one side till they reached a hedge laced thickly with Virginia creeper. He parted this leafy screen, bending back the springing fronds that thrust against the flimsy muslin of her gown and threatened to spear the pink-rosed hat that cast an adorable warm tint over her creamy face, thinking that never had the old place seen such a picture as she made framed in the deep green.

Some such thought was in the major's mind, too, as he came slowly up the terrace below. He paused, to take off his hat and wipe his brow.

"With the place all fixed up this way," he sighed to himself, "I could believe it was only last week that Beauty Vallant and Southall and I were boys, loafing around this garden. And to think that now it's Vallant's son and Judith's daughter! Why, it seems like yesterday that Shirley there was only knee-high to a grasshopper—and I used to tell her her hair was that color because she ran through hell bareheaded. I'm about a thousand years old, I reckon!"

Meanwhile the two figures above had pushed through the tangle into a circular sunny space where stood a short round pillar of red onyx. It was a sun-dial, its vine-clad disk cut of gray polished stone in which its metal tongue was socketed. Round the outer edge of the disk ran an inscription in archaic lettering. Vallant pulled away the clustering ivy leaves and read: "I count no hours but the happy ones."

"If that had only been true!" he said.

"It is true. See how the vines hid the sun from it. It ceased to mark the time after the Court was deserted."

"I'll put moonflowers at its base and where you are standing, Madonna lilies. The outer part of the circle shall have bridal-wreath and white lilies, and they shall shade out into pastel colors—mauves and grays and heliotropes. Oh, I shall love this spot!—perhaps sometime the best of all."

"Which do you love the most now?"

He leaned slightly toward her, one hand on the dial's time-notched rim. "Don't you know?" he said in a lower voice. "Could any other spot mean to me what that acre under the hemlocks means?"

Her face was turned from him, her fingers pulling at the drifting vine, and a splinter of sunlight tangled in her hair like a lace of fireflies.

"I could never forget it," he continued. "The thing that spoiled my father's life happened there, yet there we two first talked, and there you—"

"Don't!" she said, facing him. "Don't!"

"Ah, let me speak! I want to tell you that I shall carry the memory of that afternoon, and of your brave kindness, always, always! If I were never to see you again in this life, I should always treasure it. If I died of thirst in some Sahara, it would be the last thing I should remember—your face would be the last thing I should see! If I—"

In the silence there was the sound of a slow foot-fall on the gravel walk, and at the same moment he saw a magical change. Shirley drew back. The soft gentian blue of her eyes darkened. The lips that an instant before had been tremulous, parted in a low delicious laugh. She swept him a deep curtsy.

"I am beholden to you, sir," she said gaily, "for a most knightly compliment. There's the major. Come and let us show him where we've planted the ramblers."

Continued next week.

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EMIL BRITTSCH.

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### Sheriff

We are authorized to announce D. B. MARTIN candidate for Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

Thanking one and all for their confidence and support in the past and soliciting your votes at the November election on the assurance of a continued effort to faithfully discharge the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County.

Respectfully,

JOE F. BADER.

We are authorized to announce D. S. ROBERSON candidate for Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for their support in the past and soliciting your votes at the November election, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina County at the November election, and solicit your vote and support.

Respectfully,

H. E. HAAS.

We are authorized to announce ELMER DE MONTEL candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County at the November election.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for their support in the past, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk and again ask for your votes and support for the same at the November election.

Respectfully,

S. A. JUNGMAN.

We are authorized to announce JOE KEY candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for their support in the past, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County, at the November election.

Respectfully,

L. E. HEATH.

We are authorized to announce FRITZ G. MUENNINK candidate for Tax Assessor of Medina County, at the November election.

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Respectfully,

H. H. CROW.

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## JACKSONVILLE AND THE REUNION

### Veterans Will Find a Modern, Progressive City

Many Points of Historic Interest To Be Visited By Survivors of Gray Army During Week.

Jacksonville, Fla.—When the Confederate veterans and their friends assemble here for their 24th annual reunion, they will be introduced to a city and community, proud of the present and loyal to the ideals of the old South. Making Jacksonville the hub of a wheel twenty-five miles in diameter, a territory is covered rich in historic associations and interest and at the same time a fit exponent of all that is progressive in the Southern States. Jacksonville is a city of 85,000 population, with handsome business blocks, modern skyscrapers, commodious hotels and residence sections that compare favorably with the best in the country. The city's business has grown into large proportions, embracing every line known to a modern city. Jacksonville of to-day is in all respects a thriving center of trade and commerce, much of its commerce going across the seas into foreign countries on ocean steamships. Its transportation facilities are superb, both by rail and water. Railroads feeding the great Florida Peninsula center here. Thousands of tourists and uncounted tons of freight pass through the city and port every year, the one hunting health and pleasure, the other scattering out over the civilized world to do its part in supplying the demands of the consumers of the earth.

And while the visitors are enjoying this view and prospect of modern business and community thrift, they will be given an opportunity to look down the past three hundred and fifty years. All of this territory was in dispute three and a half centuries ago between the French and Spanish, with the wild Indian holding the balance of power between the combatants. The Frenchman and the Spaniard both laid claim to the Florida territory. Which was first to discover it is a matter over which historians differ, but it is well authenticated that the first white men to set foot upon the soil now covered by Jacksonville were Frenchmen under Rene Laudoniere.

The first white man to enter the mouth of the St. Johns river was Jean Ribault, in command of a company of Huguenots, who had left France because of religious persecutions. He made his landing on May 1, 1562, fifty years after the landing of Ponce de Leon at a point to the south of Jacksonville. Some historians are of the opinion that Ponce de Leon sailed as far north as the mouth of the St. Johns, but the weight of evidence is against this opinion. If he were here he left no trace. The evidence is that he did not travel in a direction from his original landing that would have brought him to the vicinity of Jacksonville. It is thoroughly established that Ribault entered the mouth of the St. Johns river May 1, 1562, and sailed up the river some miles to a bluff, where he erected a stone column on which was inscribed the arms of France. But Ribault did not ascend the river as high as Jacksonville. He went from the mouth of the river to Port Royal, S. C.

In 1564, one year after the departure of Ribault, Rene Laudoniere, who had been with Ribault on the first expedition, came to the mouth of the St. Johns with another colony of Huguenots, and ascended the river as far as the present site of Jacksonville, camping probably on the south side of the river on territory now covered by South Jacksonville. These were the first white men to penetrate the country above the mouth of the river. In honor of the day of discovery, May 1, Ribault gave the river the name of May, and this stood until the Spaniards whipped out the French, some years later. The Spaniards called it the River San Mateo at first, but later changed its name to San Juan. From this it finally became the St. Johns. Old Fort Caroline was situated at St. John's bluff some miles below the city of Jacksonville. No sign of this historic fort remains, not even a slab to commemorate its mournful story.

During the reunion, steamboat excursions will be run to all these points of historic interest on the St. Johns river. It is but twenty-seven miles from Jacksonville to the mouth of the St. Johns, where the government has constructed, with the aid of Jacksonville, and the State of Florida, a system of jetties, deepened the water on the bar and otherwise protected navigation. In passing between Jacksonville and the jetties, the visitor will have no trouble locating the sites of old forts that were erected nearly four hundred years ago by the French and Spanish. The trip is one of the most delightful in the Southern States.

While Jacksonville has not advertised itself as a large manufacturing city, of recent years many large industrial plants have been established, giving employment to 5,000 wage-earners and turning out \$14,000,000 to \$15,000,000 worth of products per annum. In variety of products, the city makes a showing that but few other communities can equal. New industries are secured almost every month, and the Board of Trade, one of the most active in the South, is steadily pushing a campaign for more industrial establishments.

## OLD HICKORY AND SEMINOLES

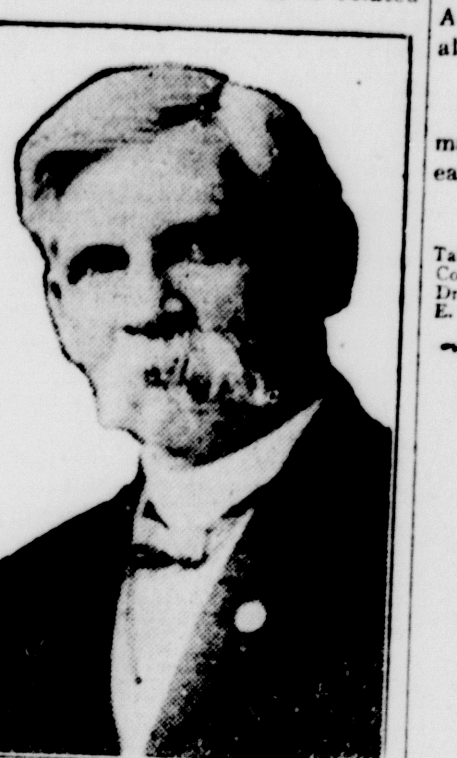
### Modern Jacksonville Reverses His Memory At Reunion

Spirit of Great Man Militant in Confederate Reunion City—Why Jacksonville Was Named in His Honor.

Jacksonville, Fla.—Confederate soldiers, the world over, reverse the name of Andrew Jackson, and in view of the fact that their next reunion is to be held in the only city in the South that was named in honor of that great and brave man, his services in freeing Florida from the blight of Indian barbarism will be of interest.

Jacksonville was named for Gen. Andrew Jackson as a compliment and mark of appreciation for services he rendered to civilization in the Seminole War. There could have been no progress or civilization in Florida but for the work of Andrew Jackson. Conditions in this territory in 1818, nearly a hundred years ago, demanded the services of a brave and resolute man. Gen. Jackson was selected by the government as the one man above all others to head the movement against the Seminole Indians, who had been terrorizing the territory for several years and committing atrocities of the most brutal character.

In March, 1818, Gen. Jackson was ordered to the site of the Seminole War. He invaded East Florida, and in a campaign of less than six weeks crushed these Indians. It is related



Gen. Bennett H. Young, Louisville, Ky., Commander in Chief United Confederate Veterans, who held their Reunion at Jacksonville in May.

by historians that in one village, not far removed from Jacksonville, he found 300 scalps of men, women and children, many of them still fresh, hanging on a war pole. Gen. Jackson knew that the Spaniards were in sympathy with the Indians in their attacks on American settlers. After cleaning up a number of Indian villages he captured the Spanish post of St. Marks. For this act he was severely censured by his government. However, the naked fact is that "Old Hickory" was more courageous than the men who were conducting the affairs of state at Washington.

Early in May, 1818, Gen. Jackson closed his campaign against the Seminoles in East Florida. He had completely broken their power and run them out of the territory. They caused no more serious trouble.

During his campaign in East Florida Gen. Jackson obtained satisfactory evidence that Spanish officers at Pensacola were in sympathy with the Indians. He promptly decided to march against them and teach them a lesson. The Spanish governor of West Florida, learning of Gen. Jackson's purpose, sent him a written protest against his invasion. This protest is now on file among the Jackson documents in charge of the Tennessee Historical Society at Nashville. The protest was delivered to Gen. Jackson near Pensacola on May 23, but it had no effect on that determined man. In reply he sent a peremptory demand for the immediate surrender of Pensacola and Barrancas. Jackson advanced immediately on Pensacola and possessed it. Two days later the Barrancas garrison capitulated, were received as prisoners of war and sent to Havana.

Having thus snatched both East and West Florida from the Indians and Spaniards, Gen. Jackson at once proceeded to establish a provisional government under the stars and stripes. Having accomplished this, he returned to Tennessee, then his home.

In 1822 a number of pioneers held a meeting here and decided to start the work of building a town. The village was then known as the Cow Ford, a name given to it by the Indians. After perfecting an organization, the incorporation unfurled the banner of Jacksonville in honor of Gen. Jackson, who had made it possible for white men to live here.

When the Confederate soldiers and their friends meet here for the 24th annual reunion Jacksonville will impress them with all the force of Andrew Jackson. It is now a modern progressive city of 85,000 population, one of the thriving business centers of the New South. Its varied attractions will delight all who attend the reunion, and no matter how large the crowd may be, Jacksonville will take care of all.

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Y. M. C. A.'s,  
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# The Valiants of Virginia

By  
**Hallie Erminie Rives**  
(Mrs. Post Wheeler)

Illustrated by Lauren Stott

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## SYNOPSIS.

**CHAPTER I**—John Vallant, a rich society favorite, suddenly discovers that the Valiant corporation, which his father founded and which was the principal source of his wealth, has failed.

**CHAPTER II**—He voluntarily turns over his private fortune to the receiver for the corporation.

**CHAPTER III**—His entire remaining possessions consist of an old motor car, a white bull dog and Damory court, a neglected estate in Virginia.

**CHAPTER IV**—He learns that this estate came into the family by royal grant and has been in the possession of the Valiants ever since.

**CHAPTER V**—On the way to Damory court he meets Shirley Dandridge, an au-burn-haired beauty, and decides that he is going to like Virginia immensely.

**CHAPTER VI**—An old negro tells Shirley's fortune and predicts great trouble for her on account of a man.

**CHAPTER VII**—Uncle Jefferson, an old negro, takes Vallant to Damory court.

**CHAPTER VIII**—Shirley's mother, Mrs. Dandridge, and Major Bristow exchange reminiscences during which it is revealed that the major, Vallant's father, and a man named Sassoon, were rivals for the hand of Mrs. Dandridge in her youth. Sassoon and Vallant fought a duel on her account in which the former was killed.

**CHAPTER IX**—Vallant finds Damory court overgrown with weeds and creeper, and the buildings in a very much neglected condition. Uncle Jefferson and his wife, Aunt Daphne, are engaged as servants.

**CHAPTER X**—Vallant explores his ancestral home. He is surprised by a fox hunting party which invades his estate. He recognizes Shirley at the head of the party.

**CHAPTER XI**—He gives sanctuary to the cornered fox. Gossips discuss the advent of the new owner and recall the tragedy in which the elder Vallant took part.

**CHAPTER XII**—Vallant decides to rehabilitate Damory court and make the land produce a living for him.

**CHAPTER XIII**—He meets Shirley, who has been gathering flowers on the Vallant estate, and reveals his identity to her.

**CHAPTER XIV**—Vallant saves Shirley from the bite of a snake, which bites him. Knowing the deadliness of the bite, Shirley sucks the poison from the wound and saves his life.

**CHAPTER XV**—Shirley tells her mother of the incident and the latter is strangled, moved at hearing that a Vallant is again living at Damory court.

**CHAPTER XVI**—Vallant learns some of the history of his family from Doctor Southall and Major Bristow.

**CHAPTER XVII**—He learns for the first time that his father left Virginia on account of a duel in which Doctor Southall and Major Bristow acted as his father's seconds.

**CHAPTER XVIII**—Vallant and Shirley become good friends. Mrs. Dandridge faints when she first meets Vallant.

## CHAPTER XX.

**The Gardeners.**

He saw them coming through the gate on the Red Road—the major and Shirley in a lilac muslin by his side—and strode to meet them. Behind them Ranston propelled a hand-cart filled with paper bundles from each of which protruded a bunch of flowering stems. There was a flush in Shirley's cheek as her hand lay in Vallant's. As for him, his eyes, like a wilful drunkard, returned again and again, between the major's compliments, to her face.

"You have accomplished wonders, sah! I had no idea so much could be done in such a limited time. You have certainly primped the old place up. I could almost think I was looking at Damory Court in the sixties, sah!"

"That's quite the nicest thing you could have said, Major," responded Vallant. "But it needs the flowers." He looked at Shirley with sparkling eyes. "How splendid of you to bring them! I feel like a robber."

"With our bushels of them? We shall never miss them at all. Have you set out the others?"

"I have, indeed. Every one has rooted, too. You shall see them." He led the way up the drive till they stood before the porch.

"Gad!" chuckled the major. "Who would think it had been unoccupied for three decades? At this rate, you'll soon be giving dances, sah."

"Ah," said Vallant. "That's the very thing I want to suggest. The tournament comes off next week, I understand, and it's been the custom to have a ball that night. The tourney ground is on this estate, and Damory Court is handier than the Country Club. Why wouldn't it be appropriate to hold the dance here? The ground-floor rooms are in order, and if the young people would put up with it, it would be a great pleasure to me, I assure you."

"Oh!" breathed Shirley. "That would be too wonderful!"

The major seized his hand and shook it heartily. "I can answer for the committee," he said. "They'll jump at it. Why, sah, the new generation has never set eyes inside the house. It's a golden legend to them."

"Then I'll go ahead with arrangements."

He led them around the house and down the terraces of the formal garden, and here the major's encomiums broke forth again. "You are going to take us old folks back, sah," he said

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with real feeling. 'This garden in its original lines was unique. It had a piquancy and a picturesque quality that, thank God, are to be restored! One can understand the owner of an estate like this having no desire to spend his life pillandering abroad. We all hope, sah, that you will recur to the habit of your ancestors and count Damory Court home.' Vallant smiled slowly. 'I don't dream of anything else,' he said. 'My life, as I map it out, seems to begin here. The rest doesn't count—only the years when I was little and had my father.' The major carefully adjusted his eyeglasses. His head was turned away. 'Ah, yes,' he said. 'The last twenty years,' continued the other, 'from my present viewpoint, are valuable mainly for contrast.' 'As a consistent regimen of pate de fole gras,' said Shirley quizzically, 'makes one value bread and butter.' He shook his head at her. 'As starvation makes one appreciate plenty. The next twenty years are to be here. But they hold side-trips, too. Now

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and then there's a jaunt back to the city."

"Contrast again?" she asked interestedly.

"Yes and no. Yes, because no one who has ever known that blazing clanging life can really understand the peace and blessedness of a place like this. No, because there are somethings which are to be found only there. There are the galleries and the opera. I need a breath of them both."

"And semi-occasional longer flights, too," the major reflected. "A look-see abroad once in a blue moon. Why not?"

"Yes. For mental photographs—impressions one can't get from between book-covers. There's an old cloister garden I know in Italy and a particular river-bank in Japan in the cherry-blossom season, and a tiny island with a Greek castle on it in the Aegean. Little colored memories for me to bring away to dream over. But always I come back here to Damory Court. For this is—home!"

They walked beneath the pergola to the lake, where Shirley gave a cry of delight at sight of its feathered population. "Where did you get them from?" she asked.

"Washington. In crates."

"That explains it," she exclaimed. "One day last week the little darkies in the village all insisted a circus was coming. They must have seen these being hauled here. They watched the whole afternoon for the elephants."

"Poor youngsters!" he said. "It's a shame to fool them. But I've had all the circus I want getting the live stock installed."

"They won't suffer," said the major. "Rickey Snyder'll get them up a three-ringed show at the drop of a hat and drop it herself. Besides, there's tournament day coming, and they can live on that. I see you've dredged out some of the lilies."

"Yes. I take my dip here every morning."

"We used to have a diving-board when we were little shavers," pursued the major. "I remember once, your father—"

He cleared his throat and stopped dead.

"Please," said John Vallant, "I—I like to hear about him."

"It was only that I struck my head on a rock on the bottom and—stayed down. The others were frightened, but he—he dove down again and again till he brought me out. It was a narrow squeak, I reckon."

A silence fell. Looking at the tall muscular form beside her, Shirley had a sudden vision of a determined little body cleaving the dark water, over and over, now rising panting for breath, now plunging again, never giving up. And she told herself that the son was the same sort. That hard set of the jaw, those firm lips, would know no flinching. He might suffer, but he would be strong.

Half unconsciously she spoke her thought aloud: "You look like your father, do you not?"

"Yes," he replied, "there's a strong likeness. I have a photograph which I'll show you sometime. But how did you know?"

"Perhaps I only guessed," she said in some confusion. To cover this she stooped by the pebbly marge and held out her hand to the bronze ducks that pushed and gobbled about her fingers.

"What have you named them?" she asked.

"Nothing. You christen them."

"Very well. The light one shall be Pezzetree and the dark one Pilgrimage. I got the names from John Jasper—he was Virginia's famous negro preacher. I once heard him hold forth when he read from one of the Psalms—the one about the harp and the psalmist—and he called it pezzetree."

Vallant's laugh rang out over the lake—to be answered by a sudden sharp screech from the terrace, where the peacock strutted, a blaze of spangled purple and gold. They turned to see Aunt Daphne issue from the kitchen, twig-broom in hand.

"Heah!" she exclaimed. "What fo' yo' kyahin' on like er will' gyraff we'n

He Leaned Slightly Toward Her, One Hand on the Dial's Time-Notched Rim.

we got comp'ny, yo' triffin' ol' fan-tail, yo! Git outen heah!" She waved her weapon and the bird, with a raucous shriek of defiance, retired in ruffled disorder. The master of Damory Court looked at Shirley. "What shall we name him?"

"I'd call him Fire-Cracker. If he goes off like that," she said. And Fire-Cracker the bird was christened forthwith.

"And now," said Shirley, "let's set out the ramblers."

The major had brought a rough plan, sketched from memory, of the old arrangement of the formal garden. "I'll just go over the lines of the beds with Uncle Jefferson," he proposed, "while you two potter over these roses." So Vallant and Shirley walked back up

the slope beneath the pergola together.

With Ranston, puffing and blowing like a black porpoise over his creaking go-cart, they planted the ramblers—crimson and pink and white—Vallant much of the time on his knees, his hands plunging deep into the black spongy earth, and Shirley with broad hat flung on the grass, her fingers separating the clinging thread-like roots and her small arched foot tamping down the soil about them. Her hair—the color of wet raw wood in the sunlight—was very near the brown head and sometimes their fingers touched over the work. Once, as they stood up, flushed with the exercise, a great black and orange butterfly, dazed with the sun-glow, alighted on Vallant's rolled-up sleeve. He held his arm perfectly still and blew gently on the wavering pinions till it swam away. When a redbird flitted by, to his delight she whistled its call so perfectly that it wheeled in mid-flight and tilted inquiringly back toward them.

As they descended the terrace again to the pergola, he said, "There's only one thing lacking at Damory Court—a sundial."

"Then you haven't found it?" she cried delightedly. "Come and let me show you."

She led the way through the maze of beds at one side till they reached a hedge laced thickly with Virginia creeper. He parted this leafy screen, bending back the springing fronds that thrust against the flimsy muslin of her gown and threatened to spear the pink-rosed hat that cast an adorable warm tint over her creamy face, thinking that never had the old place seen such a picture as she made framed in the deep green.

Some such thought was in the major's mind, too, as he came slowly up the terrace below. He paused, to take off his hat and wipe his brow.

"With the place all fixed up this way," he sighed to himself, "I could believe it was only last week that Beauty Vallant and Southall and I were boys, loafing around this garden. And to think that now it's Vallant's son and Judith's daughter! Why, it seems like yesterday that Shirley there was only knee-high to a grasshopper—and I used to tell her her hair was that color because she ran through hell bareheaded. I'm about a thousand years old, I reckon!"

Meanwhile the two figures above had pushed through the tangle into a circular sunny space where stood a short round pillar of red onyx. It was a sun-dial, its vine-clad disk cut of gray polished stone in which its metal tongue was socketed. Round the outer edge of the disk ran an inscription in archaic lettering. Vallant pulled away the clustering ivy leaves and read: "I count no hours but the happy ones."

"If that had only been true!" he said.

"It is true. See how the vines hid the sun from it. It ceased to mark the time after the Court was deserted."

"I'll put moonflowers at its base and where you are standing. Madonna lilies. The outer part of the circle shall have bridal-wreath and white irises, and they shall shade out into pastel colors—mauves and grays and heliotropes. Oh, I shall love this spot!—perhaps sometime the best of all."

"Which do you love the most now?"

He leaned slightly toward her, one hand on the dial's time-notched rim. "Don't you know?" he said in a lower voice. "Could any other spot mean to me what that acre under the hemlocks means?"

Her face was turned from him, her fingers pulling at the drifting vine, and a splinter of sunlight tangled in her hair like a lace of fireflies.

"I could never forget it," he continued. "The thing that spoiled my father's life happened there, yet there we two first talked, and there you—"

"Don't!" she said, facing him. "Don't!"

"Ah, let me speak! I want to tell you that I shall carry the memory of that afternoon, and of your brave kindness, always, always! If I were never to see you again in this life, I should always treasure it. If I died of thirst in some Sahara, it would be the last thing I should remember—your face would be the last thing I should see! If I—"

In the silence there was the sound of a slow foot-fall on the gravel walk, and at the same moment he saw a magical change. Shirley drew back. The soft gentian blue of her eyes darkened. The lips that an instant before had been tremulous, parted in a low delicious laugh. She swept him a deep curtsy.

"I am beholden to you, sir," she said gaily, "for a most knightly compliment. There's the major. Come and let us show him where we've planted the ramblers."

Continued next week.

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**Card of Thanks.**  
 Through the columns of this paper we desire to return our warmest thanks to our friends at Quilby for kindness and assistance shown us in the last illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Arika Haass. We also wish to thank all who attended the funeral and for the many beautiful floral offerings.  
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We have 563 miles of railroad to each 100 square miles of territory. Texas has 37 miles of railway track to every 10,000 inhabitants.

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#### Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends for the many expressions of sympathy extended us in our sorrow over the death of our brother, Fritz Bendele. We also wish to thank those who attended and assisted at the funeral, and for the floral offerings.  
 Respectfully,  
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### Echo Answers What?

A kind friend hands us the following from the Pathfinder with the suggestion that perhaps someone might leave us a similar benefaction:

"The editor of a Swiss newspaper, the 'Schweizerische Volkswacht,' has just had a legacy of \$20 a year left him by a man whom he never even heard of. The clause of the will containing the bequest is a curious one, running as follows: 'On Jan. 1st and Aug. 1st of each year a sum of \$10 shall be paid to the editor of the 'Schweizerische Volkswacht' on condition that he shall drink on the two days above-mentioned a glass of beer in honor of the deceased. This legacy shall hold good until the death of the legatee.'"

We hope no one will act on the suggestion, however. What would a man do with such a legacy after Tom Ball gets through with Texas?

### Furniture For Sale.

I am breaking up housekeeping and on and after Monday, April 13th, I will have for sale at my residence, back of the Auditorium, the following articles of furniture and household goods:

1 piano, 1 leather davenport, 1 roll top desk, 1 round pedestal dining table, 1 buffet, 1 refrigerator, 1 wood cook stove, 1 gasoline quick meal stove, 1 kitchen cabinet, 6 dining room chairs, 1 safe, 1 kitchen table, 1 birdseye maple dresser, 1 birdseye maple wash stand, 1 Verins Martin iron bed, springs and mattress, 1 art square, 1 cot, 1 linoleum floor covering, 1 porcelain bath tub, 1 porcelain kitchen sink, 1 hot water tank, 1 toilet, 2 birdseye maple rockers, 1 desk chair.

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#### Administrator's Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Medina. To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Fritz Bendele, deceased.

I, the undersigned, having been duly appointed Temporary Administrator of the estate of Fritz Bendele, deceased, late of Medina County, Texas, by Hon. H. E. Haass, County Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 28th day of April, 1914, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in Medina County, Texas, where he receives his mail. This, April 30th, 1914.  
 ALBERT BENDELE,  
 Temporary Administrator of the Estate of Fritz Bendele, deceased.

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